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Hereford Gardens
1942 SPRING LIST *

HARDY WILD FLOWERS

Every gardener watches for the first signs of spring. Long before the perennials open the flower season and weeks before it is safe to plant most annuals many wild flowers greet the spring with their dainty blooms. They start growth with the earliest sunny days and some of them are often in bloom as the last snows disappear.

If you did not plant these gems of the garden last fall you may still enjoy them this spring, by placing your order early, so we can send them to you as early as the season opens. Many varieties grow dormant in summer after the foliage ripens but they are easily established and last a long time. Some colonize if planted in a woodsy location. They will be a real delight planted into the rock garden, under the shrubbery, in the shady corner or woodland.

The cost is so small you can plant freely and choose several varieties. They are only \$1. for 10; or \$8.00 for 100 and postpaid. You select the varieties you wish.

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VARIETY	COMMON NAME	COLOR	HEIGHT	TIME OF BLOOM
Pelyginatum Biflorum	Solomon's Seal	White	18" to 36"	April
Sanguinaria Canadensis	Bloodroot	White	6" to 8"	April
Smilacina Racemosa	False Spikenard	White	1' to 3'	May
Smilacina Stellata	False Solomon's Sea	alWhite	1' to 3'	May
Thalictrum Diocium	Early Meadow Rue	Greenish	1' to 2'	April
Trillium Erectum	Wake-robin	Purple	1.	April
Trillium Grandiflorum	Large flowering	White	10" to 12"	May
Trillium Nivale	Snow Trillium	White	5"	April
Trillium Undulatum	Painted Trillium	Crimson	12" to 16"	April
Uvularia Grandiflora	Rellwort	Yellow	10" to 14"	April
Viola Blanda	Sweet Violet	White	3" to 5"	April
Viola Pedata	Bird-foot	Purple	4" to 6"	May
Viola Pedata Bi-color	Bird-foot	Two shades	4" to 6"	May
Viola Pubescens	Downy Violet	Yellow	6" to 8"	April
Viola Rotundifolia		Yellow	2" to 4"	April

FERNS

The graceful beauty of Ferns add interest to plantings in shady locations. Use them along north walls, or singly or in groups for naturalizing in wooded areas. Give them good soil with plenty of moisture and they will thrive for many years.

ADIANTUM (Maidenhair) Graceful, many branched fronds' of light green in shiny black stems. I foot high. The daintiest fern of all.

DWARF WOOD FERN. · Lacy fronds 3 to 6 inches high, on creeping rootstocks. Nice in shady rockery or naturalized. May be used in dish gardens.

OSMUNDA CLAYTONIA (Interrupted fern). So named because the spore bearing pinnae are dwarfed and are produced in the middle of the frond. A very hardy fern that grows 24 to 36 inches high. A very handsome sort for foundation plantings.

POLYSTICHUM (Christmas fern) An evergreen fern with smooth dark green pinnae. 12 to 16 inches high. Stays green all winter.

WOODWARDIA (Chain fern) Fronds are 18 to 30 inches high. The pinnae are broad and smooth. Contrasts beautifully with other ferns.

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